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In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and §§1.97-1.98, Applicants hereby call to the Examiner's attention the following documents:

Japanese Patent Publication No. 2001-345482, together with an English language abstract of the same. Applicants note that this document is cited on page 2 of the present application;

Japanese Patent Publication No. 2000-58925, together with an English language abstract of the same, and patent family member U.S. Patent No. 6,296,376. Applicants note that the Japanese document is cited on page 6 of the present application;

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Japanese Patent Publication No. 2002-185046, together with an English language abstract of the same, and patent family members U.S. Patent No. 6,653,661 and U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2004/0036081;

Japanese Patent Publication No. 2003-321675, together with an English language abstract of the same, and patent family member U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2004/0135,504;

U.S. Patent No. 6,874,910;

U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2004/0012958; and

U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2004/0190304.

Further to 37 C.F.R. §1.98 (a)(2)(ii), copies of the U.S. patents and published patent applications are not enclosed herewith. The Examiner is invited to review the files of the above-noted published patent applications and references (if any) cited

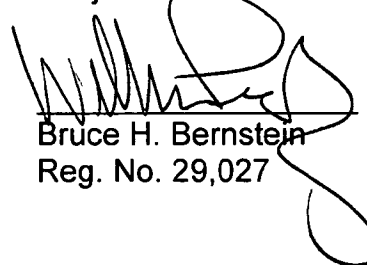
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therein. However, if any copies are needed, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the above material and cite the same. Copies of the above-noted foreign documents, including the noted abstracts, are attached hereto, and all of the above-noted documents are listed on the attached PTO-1449 Form. The Examiner is requested to initial the appropriate spaces on the attached Form and to return a copy of the completed Form to Applicants with the next official communication in the present application.

Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

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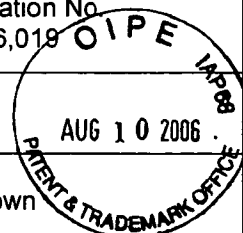
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